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Transmitted herewith is:

(X) A Notice of Appeal from the Primary Examiner to the Board of Appeals.

- (X) The present application qualifies for small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.
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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting Claims 25 and 26. The items marked below are appropriate:

(X) An extension of time to respond to the final rejection for three (3) months is hereby requested.

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